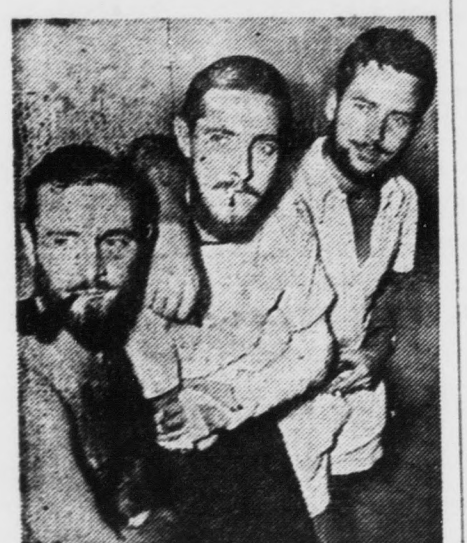


# Kids Stand Ready to Defend National Capital



The spirit of national defense has permeated the children of Washington, D. C. At the right an anti-aircraft gun crew of the Washington Junior home defense battalion is ready for action. The "gun" is a piece of pipe. Picture at left shows group treating a member who has become a "casualty" during a "raid." And in the center, equipped with binoculars and megaphone, a tot is all ready to do her bit for the city's defense.

## Three Wise Men



The three bearded British soldiers have a wide knowledge of warfare in Europe, but the censor will not permit them to discuss details for some time. One fought in the Western desert, another underwent bomb barrages in the merchant navy, while the third was "among those present" in Crete. They arrived in New York City recently, on a ship that traveled 30,000 miles, taking four months, to a final place of safety.

## Personals

Robert Terrill Gills spent the week-end in the home of his mother Mrs. E. E. Gills.

James T. Gills, of Lynchburg, and his daughter, Mrs. John Bell, visited Mr. Gills' brother, Mr. Pitzer Gills, here last week.

Mrs. J. A. Burke and Mrs. Joel W. Flood will spend Monday night in Richmond.

James Wilson, of Petersburg, was a luncheon guest Wednesday of Judge and Mrs. J. W. Flood.

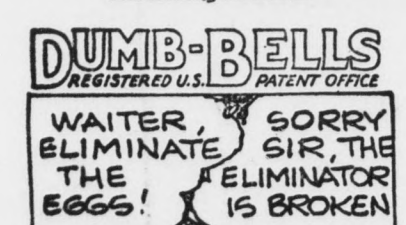
Kendall Hunter Jr. was seriously hurt this week when struck by a garage door.

## Picture Puzzle

WHAT WORD IS THIS?



(Daily Syndicate-WNU Service.)



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# Are you considering joining a MILITARY SERVICE?

## Why not choose the NAVAL RESERVE!

### AN IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT by the Secretary of the Navy

"All men now enlisting in the Naval Reserve will be retained on active Navy duty throughout the period of the national emergency, but they will be released to inactive duty as soon after the emergency as their services can be spared, regardless of the length of time remaining in their enlistment."

*Frank Knox*  
SECRETARY OF THE NAVY

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Here is your opportunity to have all the advantages and privileges of Navy life but with a shorter enlistment.

Many men do not realize—but it is a fact—that your pay, your training, and your chances for advancement in the Naval Reserve are exactly the same as in the Navy itself.

#### FREE TRAINING WORTH \$1500

Take your own case. Let's assume that you have had no special training. In that case here is your opportunity to learn one of the Navy's 45 big-pay trades, from aviation engineering to radio. You may receive training worth \$1500 the first year alone. In addition you get all the advantages listed in the second column of this announcement.

#### HIGHER PAY OPPORTUNITIES

But perhaps you have had special training or know a trade. In that case the Naval Reserve offers you the opportunity to use your knowledge. If you qualify (high school or college

not necessary), you can join as a petty officer right away—with higher pay and allowances. Also, if you have two or more years of college credits, there are special opportunities to become a Naval aviator or a commissioned officer.

#### LOOK WHAT THE U. S. NAVAL RESERVE OFFERS YOU

**FREE TRAINING** worth \$1500. Nearly 50 trades and vocations to choose from.

**GOOD PAY** with regular increases. You may earn up to \$126 a month.

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**FINEST MEDICAL CARE,** including regular dental attention.

**TRAVEL, ADVENTURE, THRILLS—**You can't ask for more.

**BECOME AN OFFICER.** Many can work for an appointment to the Naval Academy or at the Annapolis of the Air Force.

**FUTURE SUCCESS.** It's easy for Navy trained men to get good-paying jobs in civil life.

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New prices go into effect Oct. 1: Adults 25c, Children 15c. Colored balcony 20c, including all tax.

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# TIMES-VIRGINIAN

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## Hostess Tuesday To Club Leaders

Mrs. B. G. Anderson was hostess Tuesday at a luncheon given at her home for the presidents of the various home demonstration clubs in the county. Among those present: Mrs. J. T. Hix, Hixburg club; Mrs. O. C. Pallette, Evergreen; Miss Kate Davidson, and Mrs. R. H. Thornhill, Wreck Island; Mrs. C. M. Caldwell, Stonewall; Mrs. O. H. Martin, Oakville; Mrs. Robert Mitchell, Hixburg; Mrs. J. I. Moore, Trinity; Mrs. Berkeley Drinkard, Vera; and Mrs. Hollie Garrett, Liberty Chapel club.

In the afternoon they met at the home demonstration agent's office and planned the program of work for the year 1942. Demonstrations will center around kitchen and back room improvements.

The following demonstrations will be given:

- Arrangements for step-saving kitchens;
- Collection and care of utensils;
- Color and accessories in kitchens;
- Home-made kitchen furniture;
- Storage space;
- Minor projects will center around the selection and preparation of foods.

day afternoon, October 21, to 4, the Hixburg club will meet at the Hixburg community center.

Monday afternoon, October 22, to 4, the Spout Spring, Wreck Island and Spout Spring clubs will meet at the school, 2:30 to 4:30 P. M.

Wednesday afternoon, October 24, to 4, the Oakville and Trinity clubs will meet at the Oakville school, 2:30 to 4:30 P. M.

Friday afternoon, October 25, to 4, the Hixburg club will meet at the Hixburg community center, 2:30 to 4:30 P. M.

## Oakville News

Oakville, Oct. 8.—Mr. and Mrs. Burton Daye and baby, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bass and daughters, Mary and Christine, Dick Bass, and Miss Bessie Daye visited in Petersburg recently.

Mrs. W. C. Bass spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Burton Daye, at Toga, Va.

Harry Byrd Stanley spent Saturday night with Dick Bass, and Mrs. W. C. Bass.

Those who attended Mrs. O. W. Martin's "quilting bee" last week were Mrs. Raymond Martin, Mrs. Royal Coleman, Mrs. A. M. Johnston, Mrs. J. C. Moore, Mrs. Graydon Martin, Mrs. Hubbard Moore, Mrs. Sidney Martin, and daughters, Bessie and Mary Jane, and Mrs. Melvin Drinkard.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wells and children, of Farmville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Wells' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Owen.

Albert Page, of Chatham visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Page, at week-end.

Miss Helen Martin, of S. T. C., Farmville, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hunter spent several days last week with relatives in this community.

The Oakville boys bowled their first game of the tournament last Thursday night, against the Sears' team.

W. H. Ayers is sick at his home here.

Lewis Doss spent the week-end with his family here.

John Ed Stinson spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stinson.

The many friends of T. Burge Moore are glad to hear that he is much better, and able to be out again.

Mrs. Lizzie Ferguson is visiting in the home of her niece, Mrs. Elmo Wilkerson.

The W. M. U. members of Red Oak church attending the mission study class held last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Curry Abbott were: Mrs. J. Marsh, Mrs. Clarence Adams, Mrs. C. D. Lewis, Mrs. Jim Childers, Mrs. Harry Harris, Mrs. LeRoy Marks, Mrs. Harry Lucado, and Mrs. Dick Smith. It was a most enjoyable day for everyone.

Mrs. and Mrs. White Lucado, Lila and Thurman Wilcox, and Mary Bass leave today for Ohio. They are going to see Mrs. Lucado's mother, who is to return with them at the end of this week.

Appomattox is a growing town.

The Appomattox Lions Club will have its regular meeting tonight. The annual Charles Night banquet will be held October 23.

Attend some church regularly.

## Home-Coming Football Game Here Friday

The annual home-coming football game at the Appomattox high school will be played here tomorrow, Friday afternoon. Holy Cross school, of Lynchburg, will be the opponent. Farmville will play here the following Friday.

Last Friday afternoon the local team hit the victory trail against Clarksville, winning 30 to 13. R. B. Hudgins, Jr., shifted from center to half back, put on a one-man scoring exhibition to score five touchdowns for Appomattox. This was probably the biggest individual scoring performance in a decade by Appomattox high school player.

The team gave a creditable display of football.

The line-up: R. B. Robertson, R. T. Davidson, R. G. Dickerson, C. Lawson, L. G. Conner, L. T. Gilley, R. K. Lea, Q. B. Garrett, R. H. B. Gossley, L. H. B. Capelle, R. B. Hudgins Jr.

Coleman may be used at right tackle tomorrow.

MISS LIZZIE B. BINGHAM

Miss Lizzie Belle Bingham, 50, died Monday morning at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. R. Bingham. She is survived by her mother, Mr. John R. Bingham, and four sisters, Mrs. Wilbur Higgins, of Harrisonburg; Mrs. Claude Woodson, of Clearwater, Fla.; Mrs. C. E. Wilkerson, of Appomattox; and Mrs. Sam Bingham, of Albion.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 P. M. Tuesday, by the Rev. O. G. Burnett. Interment was in the family cemetery.

Active pallbearers were: Robert Bingham, Curtis Bingham, Sam Bingham, Alice Bingham, L. B. Gilbert, and C. E. Wilkerson.

Flower-bearers: Mrs. George Perdue, Miss Catherine Adams, Ruth Bingham, Huldah Wilkerson, Martha Bingham, Mary Ferguson, Nellie Lucado, Virginia Bingham and Catherine Turney.

Honorary pallbearers were: James Childers, Ed March, Arvin Hamilton, Ed Lucado, Wash Rife, Lillian Lucado, White Lucado, J. A. Lucado, Chas. Moore, R. L. Burke, Dillard Morris, Howard Gilbert, Bonnie Beale and Gus Turner.

## BANK STATEMENTS ISSUED

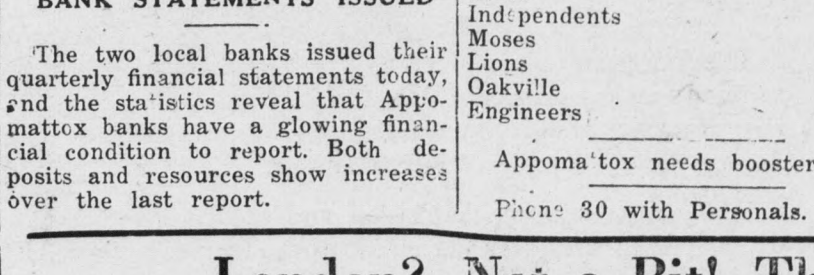
The two local banks issued their quarterly financial statements today, and the statistics reveal that Appomattox banks have a growing financial condition to report. Both deposits and resources show increases over the last report.

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Hardware 2 1  
Sears 2 1  
Ind. pendants 2 1  
Lions 1 2  
Oakville 1 2  
Engineers 1 2

Appomattox needs boosters.

Phone 30 with Personals.

## London? Not a Bit! This Is Gotham!



GAS CHAMBER

That the open season for hunting quail and rabbits shall be December 1-January 31, except in Allegheny, Arlington, Augusta, Bath, Botetourt, Clarke, Craig, Culpeper, Fairfax, Fauquier, Giles, Highland, King George, Loudoun, Madison, Page, Prince William, Rapahannock, Rockbridge, Rockingham, Shenandoah, Stafford, Warren counties, in which the open season shall be November 15-December 31.

By order of the Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries.

Carl H. Notling, Chairman.

WAS HOME FROM NAVY

Carl Gossley, Seaman Second Class, U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley W. Gossley, Appomattox, visited his parents over the week-end. Carl enlisted in the U. S. Navy at Lynchburg in May, 1941. He is now doing active duty with a patrol squadron at the Naval Air Station, Norfolk. He is striking for the rating of Aviation Ordnanceman, and expects to receive flight orders soon.

The Pamplin ladies bowling team will bowl the Appomattox league tonight at the Jamerson Bowling Alley.

## "How Dry I Am" Heard Over State, as Rain Keeps Farmers on Anxious Bench!

NAVY SEEKS 500 RECRUITS

The United States Navy has set a quota of 500 recruits from Virginia, as its goal for October. Lieutenant Commander Herbert G. Chandler, in charge of Navy recruiting in Virginia, has stated. Enlistments in September numbered 325.

As continued dry weather has considerable alarm for crops and water supplies, Appomattox county looked back on only 49-100ths of an inch of rain since August 29... less than half an inch in nearly seven weeks. There was 6-100ths of an inch of rain here September 3, and 3-100ths of an inch September 27, according to W. S. Taylor, who keeps precipitation data.

The local August rainfall record was 20-100ths on August 2, 8-100ths August 13, and 60-100ths on August 20. Thus, there has been less than one and one-half inches of rain since August 1st.

## Robert Lynch New Fire Chief

After thirteen long years, the Appomattox fire truck is to get a new set of tires. At the regular meeting Monday night, the town council voted to purchase new tires to replace the used ones now in use.

The council also approved the selection made by the volunteer fire company of Robert Lynch to be Appomattox Fire Chief. Mr. Lynch replaces G. M. Deane, who recently moved to Lovingsburg.

## TWO KILLED ON HIG WAY

Two young Negro women were killed, and several others injured near Spout Spring last Saturday night, when hit by an automobile. Those killed: Dince Preston, and Odell Bolton.

## COUNTY LIBRARY HOURS

The Appomattox County Library is now open to the public on the following hours: Monday Friday, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturday, 1 P. M. to 4 P. M.; Tuesday, nights, from 7 to 9 P. M.

## Garden Club

The Appomattox Garden Club will meet Friday evening, October 10, at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. E. Harwood, with Mrs. Harwood, Miss Flora Belle Williams, Mrs. G. F. Langman and Mrs. B. G. Anderson as joint hostesses.

Miss Jessilyn Hancock will be the speaker for the evening, giving a report on her recent trip to the West Coast. Miss Hancock will be introduced by Mrs. W. W. Parke.

The exhibit will be arrangement of fall flowers in metal or pottery. All members are urged to attend, as officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

## LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. H. F. Jakes, Pastor

Sunday, 11 A. M. Luke 19:13; Occupy U. till I Com.

Attend our Sun., evening service this Sunday

New York Yankees win the world series from Brooklyn.

## ANNUAL PHILLIPS DANCE

Phillips Secretarial College's annual fall dance, given for the students, alumni and their friends, is to be held Thursday night, October 9th.

## PROPOSAL TO FIX THE OPEN SEASON FOR HUNTING QUAIL AND RABBITS

A meeting of this Commission was held in Richmond, Va., October 7, 1941, at which meeting publication of the proposal hereinafter stated was authorized and a further meeting will be held in Richmond, Va., October 27, 1941 to consider and act upon the said proposal, which is as follows:

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